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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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David W. SCOTT et al.

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OF IMMUNOGLOBULINS AND
METHODS FOR INDUCING AND
MAINTAINING TOLERANCE



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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

All finally rejected claims (specifically, claims 31-51) in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated November 9, 1999 are hereby appealed to the Board of Appeals. Attached is the Appeal fee of \$300.00.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this Notice of Appeal, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1952.

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